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CARD SLOT ASSEMBLY WITH MEANS FOR PREVENTING

INSERTION OF ERRONEOUS CARD HAVING THICKNESS SMALLER

THAN CORRECT CARD

# REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.323

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.323 of the Rules of Practice, which implement 35 U.S.C. 254 and 255, approval of the attached Certificate of Correction for the above-identified patent to correct the error noted below appearing in the issued patent is respectfully requested.

Most recently, in reviewing the above-identified patent, it was discovered that an error was made regarding the name of the Assignee. In particular, on the cover page, column 1, item [73] please change "Japan Aviation Eletronics Industry, Limited, Tokyo (JP)" to correctly read:

-- Japan Aviation Electronics Industry, Limited, Tokyo (JP)--.

Since the error was the fault of the PTO, as attested to by the enclosed copies of the Notice of Recordation dated June 30, 2004 and the Executed Assignment dated December 16, 2003, no fee is required for the filing of this Certificate of Correction. However, should any additional fees be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

Accordingly, approval of the attached Certificate of Correction and correction of the Patent Grant itself is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Certificate of Correction in duplicate

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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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INVENTOR(S) :

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page, column 1, item [73], the name of the Assignee should correctly read:

-- Japan Aviation Electronics Industry, Limited, Tokyo (JP)--.

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CARD SLOT ASSEMBLY WITH MEANS FOR PREVENTING INSERTION OF ERRONEOUS CARD HAVING THICKNESS SMALLER THAN CORRECT CARD as set forth in his United States Patent Application

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